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Attorney Docket No. 06-284

In re application of:)
ATotech Deutschland GMBH)
First named Inventor: Ferdinand Wiener)
U.S. Serial No.: 10/575,996) Examiner: To be announced
International Filing Date: October 12, 2004) Group Art Unit: To be announced
Int'l. Application No. PCT/EP04/11413) Confirmation No.: 9377
For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR)
DRYING A TREATED PRODUCT)

TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

In regard to the above-identified application,

1. I am transmitting herewith the attached:
 - a) Declaration and Power of Attorney;
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Respectfully submitted,
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